
Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Email

I am ☐ Applicant

☐ Applicant's attorney (Utah Bar # _____)

In the District Court of Utah

Judicial District _____ County

Court Address _____

In the Matter of the Estate of

Deceased

**Application for Informal Probate of
Will and Informal Appointment of
Personal Representative**

Case Number

Judge

1. Decedent (person who died)

The decedent, _____ (name),
died on _____ (date) at the age of _____. At least five full
days have passed since the death.

2. Interest

I, _____ (name of applicant),
have an interest in this estate because I am (for example, the decedent's spouse, child,
parent, sibling): _____

3. Filing location

This is the correct court to file in because the decedent (Choose one.):

☐ lived in this county at the time of death.

☐ lived in _____ (county and state), but
owned property in this county at the time of death.

4. **Current personal representative**

No personal representative has been appointed by a court in Utah or any other state.

5. **Right to be appointed as personal representative**

The court should appoint me as personal representative because I am 21 years old or older and have priority to serve because (Choose one.):

☐ the will named me as the personal representative.

☐ I am the surviving spouse and the will named me to receive property.

☐ I am the surviving spouse but the will did not name me to receive property.

☐ the will named me to receive property.

☐ I am an heir (someone with the right to inherit property from the decedent if there was no will).

☐ I am a creditor and 45 days have passed since the person died.

☐ I was nominated to serve by someone named above.

☐ Other: _____

6. **Persons with a greater or equal right to appointment**

I am qualified to act as personal representative and have priority because (Choose one.):

☐ there is no person with a higher or equal priority for appointment.

☐ each person with a higher or equal priority for appointment has in writing renounced the right to appointment and has nominated me to serve.

My contact information is:

Address	
Email address	
Phone number	

7. **Demand for notice.**

(Any interested person may file a document called a demand for notice that tells the personal representative and the court to send a copy of every document filed with the court to him or her.)

☐ I have not received nor am I aware of any demand for notice of any probate or appointment proceedings concerning the decedent that may have been filed in Utah or elsewhere.

☐ I received or I am aware of a demand for notice concerning the decedent from the following persons:

8. Decedent's survivors

Decedent is survived by the persons listed below. These persons have the right to notice of this probate case. (Include all biological or adopted children of the decedent, unless an adoption decree terminated their inheritance rights. Add additional pages if necessary.)

Relationship to Decedent	Name	Address	Age (if minor)
Spouse			
Child			
Child			
Child			
Child			
Parent			
Parent			
Sibling			
Sibling			
Heir (inherits property if there was no will)			
Other			

9. Will

The decedent made a will dated _____.

To the best of my knowledge after a reasonable search, this is the decedent's last will and I do not know of any document that cancels or revokes this will.

The original will (Choose one.):

☐ is attached.

☐ is in the court's possession.

10. **Time**

I am filing this probate case within the required time period because not more than three years have passed since the person died.

11. **Bond**

(A bond is a cash payment or pledge of property that guarantees the personal representative will fulfill his or her duties. However, the will commonly waives the bond requirement.) (Choose one.)

☐ Bond is not required. (Utah Code 75-3-603).

☐ Bond is required because (Choose one.):

☐ the will requires a bond and the amount of the bond stated in the will is \$_____.

OR

☐ an interested party asked for a bond before the appointment of a personal representative.

☐ a written demand for bond has been filed. (Utah Code 75-3-605).

Character and estimated value of the property of decedent (complete only if bond is required and the bond amount is not specified in the will):

Real property	\$
Personal property	\$
Annual income from real and personal property	\$
Total	\$

I ask that:

1. Notice be given as required by law.

2. The will of the decedent, dated _____, be informally probated.

3. I, _____ (name), be informally appointed personal representative of the estate of the decedent and to act:

☐ without bond.

☐ with bond in the amount of \$_____.

4. Letters testamentary be issued.

Date

Signature ► _____

Printed Name _____

On this date, I certify that _____ (name)
who is known to me or who presented satisfactory identification, in the form of _____
(form of identification), has, while in my
presence and while under oath or affirmation, voluntarily signed this document and declared that it is true.

Date

Signature ► _____

Printed name (Court Clerk or Notary Public) _____

Notary Seal